

9th Grade Summer Reading Recommendations

Del Mar Middle School, 2009

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Achebe, Chinua. *Things Fall Apart*.
Agee, James. *A Death in the Family*.
Albom, Mitch. *Five People You Meet in Heaven*.
Alvarez, Julia. *In the Time of Butterflies*.
Angelou, Maya. *I Know Why the Caged Bird Sings*.
Anonymous. *Beowulf*.
Austen, Jane. *Pride and Prejudice*.
Baldwin, James. *Go Tell It on the Mountain*.
Berendt, John. *Midnight in the Garden of Good & Evil*.
The Bible. *Old Testament and New Testament*.
Bolt, Robert. *A Man for All Seasons*.
Brontë, Charlotte. *Jane Eyre*.
Brontë, Emily. *Wuthering Heights*.
Bradbury, Ray. *Fahrenheit 451*.
Buck, Pearl. *The Good Earth*.
Camus, Albert. *The Stranger*.
Cather, Willa. *My Ántonia*.
Cervantes, Miguel de. *Don Quixote*.
Chaucer, Geoffrey. *The Canterbury Tales*.
Chekhov, Anton. *The Cherry Orchard*.
Collins, Wilkie. *The Moonstone*.
Conrad, Joseph. *Lord Jim*.
Crane, Stephen. *The Red Badge of Courage*.
Dante. *The Divine Comedy*.
Defoe, Daniel. *Moll Flanders*.
Denlinger, Ken. *For the Glory: College Football Dreams & Realities*.
Dickens, Charles. *Great Expectations*.
Dickinson, Emily. *Poems*.
Dostoevsky, Fyodor. *Crime and Punishment*.
Dreiser, Theodore. *An American Tragedy*.
Duane, Daniel. *Caught Inside: A Surfer's Year on the California Coast*.
Eliot, George. *Silas Marner*.
Eliot, T.S. *Murder in the Cathedral*.
Ellison, Ralph. *Invisible Man*.
Emerson, Ralph Waldo. *Essays*.
Faulkner, William. *The Sound and the Fury*.
Fielding, Henry. *Tom Jones*.
Fitzgerald, F. Scott. *The Great Gatsby*.
Flaubert, Gustave. *Madame Bovary*.
Forster, E.M. *A Passage to India*.
Franklin, Benjamin. *The Autobiography of Benjamin Franklin*.
Galsworthy, John. *The Forsythe Saga*.
Golding, William. *Lord of the Flies*.

Goldsmith, Oliver. *She Stoops to Conquer*.
 Graves, Robert. *I, Claudius*.
 Greene, Graham. *The Power and the Glory*.
 Hardy, Thomas. *Tess of the D'Urbervilles*.
 Hawthorne, Nathaniel. *The Scarlet Letter*.
 Hemingway, Ernest. *For Whom the Bell Tolls*.
 Henry, O. Stories ("The Gift of the Magi," etc.)
 Hesse, Hermann. *Steppenwolf*.
 Homer. *The Iliad*.
 ---. *The Odyssey*.
 Hughes, Langston. *Poems*.
 Hugo, Victor. *Les Misérables*.
 Hurston, Zora Neale. *Their Eyes Were Watching God*.
 Huxley, Aldous. *Brave New World*.
 Ibsen, Henrik. *A Doll's House*.
 James, Henry. *The Turn of the Screw*.
 Joyce, James. *A Portrait of the Artist as a Young Man*.
 Junger, Sebastian. *The Perfect Storm: A True Story of Men Against the Sea*.
 Kafka, Franz. *The Trial*.
 Keats, John. *Poems*.
 Kennedy, John F. *Profiles in Courage*.
 Kidd, Sue Monk. *The Secret Life of Bees*.
 Koestler, Arthur. *Darkness at Noon*.
 Krakauer, John. *Into the Wild*.
 Lawrence, D.H. *Sons and Lovers*.
 Lawrence, Jerome and Robert E. Lee. *Inherit the Wind*.
 Lee, Harper. *To Kill a Mockingbird*.
 Lewis, Sinclair. *Babbitt*.
 Llewellyn, Richard. *How Green Was My Valley*.
 Mann, Thomas. *The Magic Mountain*.
 Marlowe, Christopher. *Dr. Faustus*.
 Martel, Yann. *Life of Pi*.
 Maugham, W. Somerset. *Of Human Bondage*.
 McCullers, Carson. *The Heart Is a Lonely Hunter*.
 Melville, Herman. *Moby-Dick*.
 Miller, Arthur. *The Crucible*.
 Monsarrat, Nicholas. *The Cruel Sea*.
 O'Brien, Tim. *The Things They Carried*.
 O'Connor, Flannery. *Wise Blood*.
 O'Neill, Eugene. *Long Day's Journey into Night*.
 Orwell, George. *1984*.
 ---. *Animal Farm*.
 ---. *A Collection of Essays*.
 Pasternak, Boris. *Doctor Zhivago*.
 Poe, Edgar Allan. *Short stories*.
 Remarque, Erich Maria. *All Quiet on the Western Front*.
 Rostand, Edmond. *Cyrano de Bergerac*.
 Salinger, J.D. *The Catcher in the Rye*.

Sandburg, Carl. *Abraham Lincoln*.
Satrapi, Marjane. *Persepolis*.
Sayers, Dorothy L. *The Nine Tailors*.
Shakespeare, William. *Hamlet*.
---. *King Lear*.
---. *Much Ado About Nothing*.
---. *Sonnets*.
Shaw, George Bernard. *Pygmalion*.
Sheridan, Richard Brinsley. *The School for Scandal*.
Shute, Nevil. *A Town Like Alice*.
Sinclair, Upton. *The Jungle*.
Sophocles. *Oedipus Rex*.
Steinbeck, John. *Of Mice and Men*.
Stowe, Harriet Beecher. *Uncle Tom's Cabin*.
Swift, Jonathan. *Gulliver's Travels*.
Thackeray, William Makepeace. *Vanity Fair*.
Vonnegut, Kurt. *Slaughterhouse-five*.
Zusak, Markus. *The Book Thief*.